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3. Copy of Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications (1 page);
4. Petition for Four-Month Extension of Time (1 page);
5. Paper Copy of the Sequence Listing (22 pages);
 - a. Computer Readable Form Copy of the Sequence Listing (1 diskette);
 - b. Statement in Support of Computer Readable Form Submission (1 page);
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- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the attached copy of the marked -up "Raw Sequence Listing." Applicant must provide a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d).

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